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SUBJECT: PROPOSED SALARY INCREASES OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS
AT IMF/IBRD

1. THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON REMUNERATION OF THE IMF AND
THE IBRD IS RECOMMENDING SALARY INCREASES FOR THE EXECUTIVE
DIRECTORS OF 7.2 PERCENT AND THE ALTERNATE EXECUTIVE
DIRECTORS OF 9 PERCENT. THIS WOULD RAISE THE SALARY OF
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS TO \$49,000 NET-OF-TAX, OR \$90,000
ON A TAXBLE EQUIVALENT BASIS.

2. SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL AS U.S. GOVERNOR OF IMF/IBRD OPPOSES ANY INCREASE AT THIS TIME AND IS WRITING TO THE LOCAL GOVERNOR OF BOTH INSTITUTIONS REQUESTING THEIR SUPPORT IN DEFEATING THESE INCREASES.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY APPROACH APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS INFORMING THEM OF THE SECRETARY'S FORTHCOMING LETTER, AND REQUEST HOST GOVERNMENT GOVERNOR OF WORLD BANK/IMF NOT TO CAST HIS VOTE UNTIL AFTER CONSIDERING SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL'S APPEAL.

4. VOTES CANNOT BE CAST BEFORE JULY 6 AND MUST BE CAST LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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NO LATER THAN MIDNIGHT JULY 27, WASHINGTON TIME.

5. POSTS WILL RECALL THAT SIMILAR CAMPAIGNS WERE LED BY THE U.S. IN 1975 AND 1976 TO DEFEAT THE INITIAL PROPOSALS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE. WE OPPOSE THIS PROPOSAL AND EXPECT TO OPPOSE ANY SUBSEQUENT PROPOSAL THIS YEAR.

6. POSTS CAN EXPECT RECEIPT OF SECRETARY'S LETTER NO LATER THAN JULY 7. CHRISTOPHER

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